which have the necessary powers and field agencies to enforce such payments. The Central Government, on its part, has been advising the State Governments from time to time to expedite clearance of cane price arrears. The cane price arrears as on 31st January, 1995 relating to the 1994-95 season which were Rs. 576.87 crores representing 17.7% of the total amount payable, got reduced to Rs. 129.32 crores, representing 1.5% of the total amount payable as on 15.11.1995.

Statement

State-wise amount 6f sugarcane arears due to farmers at the ned of the sugar season 1994-95 (as on 15.11.1995)

(Rs. in Lakhs)

S. No.	State	Arrears of cane price at the end of the season 1994-95 (As on 15.11.1995)	Arrears of cane price relating to 1995-96 season (As on 31.1.96)
1.	Punjab	0.00	3949.28
2.	Haryana	128.41	2534.23
3.	Rajasthan	129.16	789.72
4.	Uttar Pradesh	4440.67	24173.45
5.	Madhya Pradesh	248.30	683.00
6.	Gujarat	99.28	1447.11
7.	Maharashtra	917.74	9910.73
8.	Bihar	1719.96	5454.67
9.	Assam	0.01	46.50
10.	Andhra Pradesh	605.62	2297.70
11.	Karnataka	2175.83	10618.42
12.	Tamil Nadu	2465.81	5172.10
13.	Kerala	0.71	0.00
14.	Orissa	0.00	335.60
15.	West Bengal	0.05	145.13
16.	Nagaland	0.00	0.00
17.	Pondicherry	0.44	274.28
18.	Goa	0.00	0.00
	Total:	12931.99	67831.92

Implementation of Employment Assurance Schemes (EAS) in various states

1041. SHRI BHAGABAN MAJHI: Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) the names of the States where the Employment Assurance Schemes (EAS) are being implemented;

(b) the main objectives of the schemes and to what extent those objectives have been achieved in those States;

(c) the fund allocation made to different States under that scheme during the last three years; and

(d) the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF LABOUR (SHRI G. VENKAT SWAMY): (a) At present, Employment Assurance Scheme is being implemented in the following States/Union Territories:—

Andhra Pradesh, Arunachal Pradesh, Assam, Bihar, Gujarat, Himachal

Pradesh, Haryana, Jammu & Kashmir, Karnataka, Kerala, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Manipur, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland, Orissa, Rajasthan, Sikkim, Tamil Nadu, Tripura, Uttar Pradesh, West Bengal, Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Dadar & Nagar Haveli, Daman & Diu and Lakshdweep.

(b) The primary objective of the EAS is to p.ovide gainful employment during f the lean agricultural season in manual work to all able-bodied adults in rural areas who arc is need and who are desirous of work, but cannot find it.

The Secondary objective is the creation of economic infrastructure and community assets for sustained employment and development. By and large the objectives have been achieved.

(c) and (d) A Statement is annexed.

Statement

State-wise Allocation of Funds under EAS

Sl.No.	State/U.T.	Funds available (Rs. in lakhs)		
		1993-94	1994-95	1995-96 (As on 8.2.96)
1.	Andhra Pradesh	4500.00	14921.48	13009.30
	Arunachal Pradesh	300.00	1363.83	2774.77
3.	Assam	2587.50	7414.41	8311.60
4.	Bihar	5887.50	17266.64	16914.60
5.	Gujarat	606.25	4935.04	8525.07
6.	Haryana	1650.00	4256.15	3842.12
7.	Himachal Pradesh	43.75	666.28	1113.76
8.	Jammu & Kashmir	1043.75	4597.50	6983.95
9.	Karnataka	3525.00	11034.24	12697.36
10.	Kerala	725.00	2253.80	2052.42
11.	Madhya Pradesh	7118.75	22785.26	23551.25
12.	Maharashtra	3306.25	11903.65	11311.64
13.	Manipur	825.00	1945.61	1455.59
14.	Meghalaya	200.00	1000.00	934.12
15.	Mizoram	750.00	2279.02	1572.66
16.	Nagaland	1050.00	1474.85	1649.98
17.	Orissa	5335.00	13909.65	10766.21
18.	Rajasthan	4575.00	16023.01	15646.69
19.	Sikkim	145.00	324.73	356.69
20.	Tamil Nadu	1318.75	5926.77	7617.43
21.	Tripura	762.50	2375.65	1300.00
22.	Uttar Pradesh	3507.81	16597.63	16014.35
23.	West Bengal	5068.75	12070.25	10449.53
24.	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	10.00	47.59	45.48
25.	D & N Haveli	5.00	23.49	50.33
26.	Daman & Diu	5.00	5.00	21.54
27.	Lakshdweep	25.00	125.00	214.06
	TOTAL	54876.56	177526.53	179182.50